

Appl. No. 10/635,040
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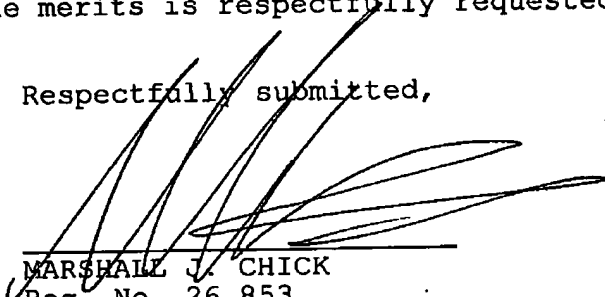
REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants traverse the requirement to the extent that it does not comply with current U.S. patent law and practice. In particular, the Examiner does not state the scope of the invention to be searched, for applicants' consideration.

A favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

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